## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 25, 2009

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

This paper is filed in response to the Official Action mailed November 25, 2009.

A Request for Continued Examination is being filed herewith along with the requisite fee. Should any other fees be due, consider this paragraph such an authorization to withdraw the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 from Deposit Account No. 010682.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.